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TO : AD/OCR


DATE: 13 January 1960

FROM : Chief, LCD/OCR

SUBJECT: CIA/RR - GM - 59 - 3, Request for Release to Department of State

Attached is a memorandum from the Department of State requesting the release of an ORR document. Please inform this office as to the reply that should be given to the Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
WASHINGTON



January 13, 1960

To : Assistant Director, OGR  
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: [REDACTED]

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Subject : Geographic Intelligence Memorandum: "The China-India  
Border Dispute", CIA/RR - GM - 59 - 3, dated November  
20, 1959

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The Department's Office of South Asian Affairs and the Office of  
Research and Analysis for Asia consider that it would be to the  
United States Government's advantage to pass the above memorandum, or  
at least portions of it, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] as a partial reading of the facts on the border  
issue, as the United States sees them.

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It is believed that it would be particularly useful [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] the maps contained in the memorandum and those  
portions of the text which describe factually the historical back-  
ground of the border issue and the conflicting border lines appearing  
on the maps issued by various countries. It is suggested that the  
Agency may wish to provide a "summarized" version that may be used for  
this purpose.

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The Agency's permission to release the document in suitable form  
[REDACTED] is requested at the earliest convenient  
date.

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*[Signature]*  
Steven D. Zagorski  
Chief, CIA Liaison Branch  
Division of Intelligence Collection  
and Distribution

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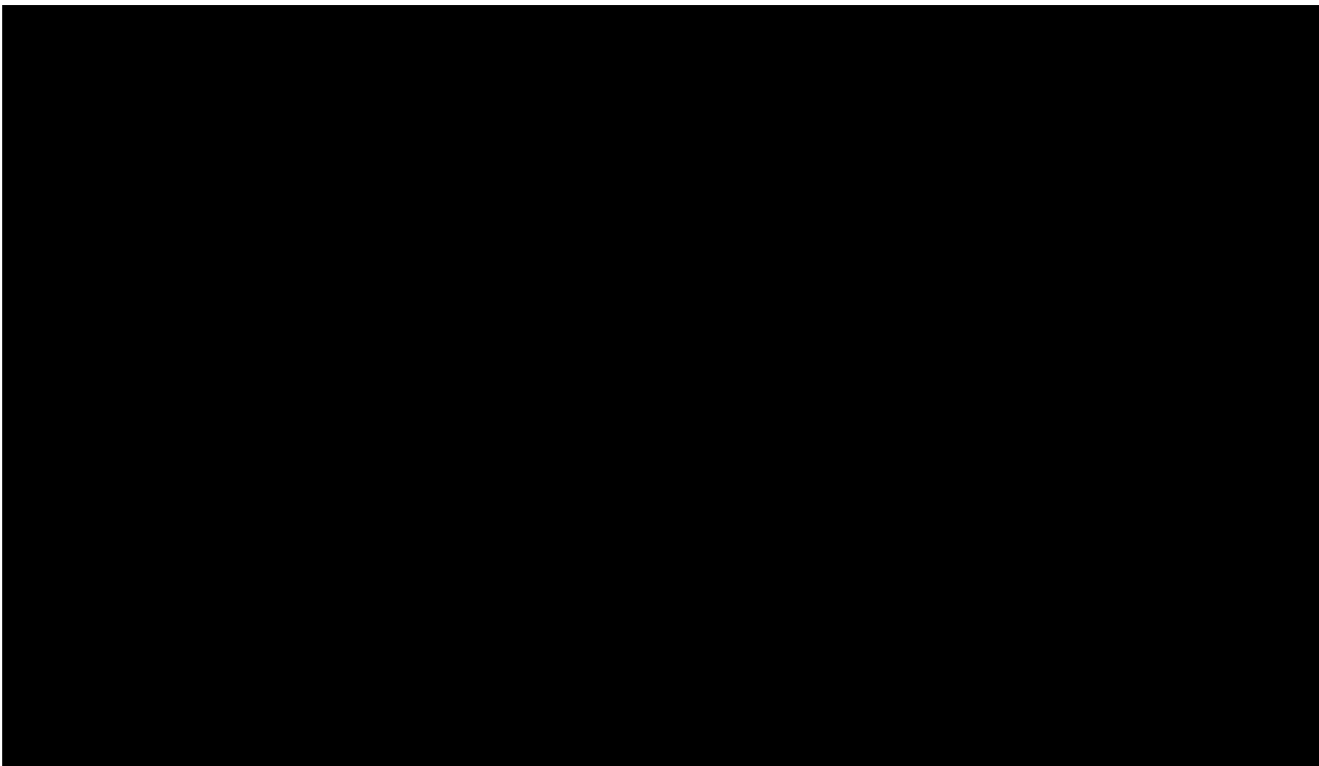
SUBJECT: Sanitization of GM-59-3 for Proposed Release 

1. In response to the request from the Department of State, the paper on the China-India Border Dispute, CIA/RR-GM-59-3, has been reviewed, and several deletions are suggested before the report is released. Deletions are indicated and discussed by the major headings of the report.

2. There are no suggested deletions in the General section.

3. The first paragraph of the Kashmir-Sinkiang-Tibet Sector can stand.

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need no cutting.

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6. In the section discussing the Pangong Tso and Spanggur Iso Area,  
it is felt that paragraph one is good as it stands.

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8. The two paragraphs dealing with the Nilang and Bara Hoti areas can  
stand.


9. The first two paragraphs of the Assam-Tibet Sector can stand as  
written.

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10. In the section headed Related Border Problems, the first paragraph needs no alteration.




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12. There is no objection to release of the map. Individual copies of the map (apart from the text) are available at the CIA Map Library under the map call number 28417.

13. Although most of the information in the sanitized version is basic and without significant time relevance, some current developments are discussed.



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15. The classification of the sanitized text will be CONFIDENTIAL.

16. The classification of the map  is to remain CONFIDENTIAL.

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Release of Geographic Intelligence

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1. Reference is made to [REDACTED] dated 27 June 1960.

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2. With respect to GR 52-3, The China-India Border Dispute, this Division interposes no objection on the basis of substantive content to the release [REDACTED]

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It is understood that a copy of this sanitized version dated 20 November 1959, is available in your files.

3. With respect to GR-53, The Burma-China Border, this Division interposes no objection on the basis of substantive content to the release of this item [REDACTED] subject to the following deletions:

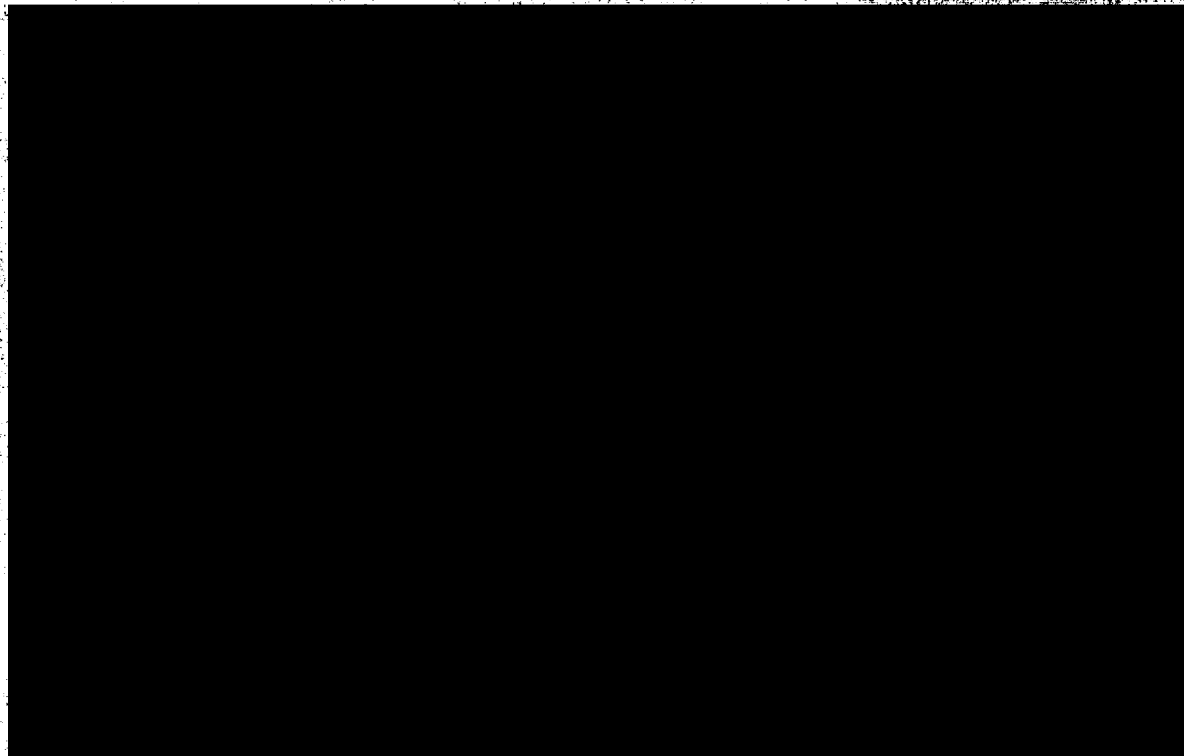
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4. The deletions specified in paragraph 3, above, are in addition to the standard deletions that would be made by your staff in the normal course of compliance with current policies governing release of finished intelligence [REDACTED]

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5. It should be noted, in transmitting GR-53, that this study was prepared in 1954. It has not been updated and therefore does not reflect events and developments of the past 6 years.

6. For your convenience, a GG/P file copy of GR-53 is attached, marked to indicate the deletions specified in paragraph 3, above. Please return it to GG/P when you have finished using it.

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Attachment:

CIA/RR GR-53 25X1A

Distribution:

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RR/D/GG [REDACTED] end

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27 June 1960

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for Research and Reports  
SUBJECT: Publications Staff

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REFERENCE

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1. To request permission to pass the ORR Geographic Intelligence Memorandum #3-1, The China-India Border Dispute, and the ORR Geographic Intelligence Memo #3, The Burma-China Border,

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